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for Synchronous Serial Communication

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Sir:

Entry of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully  
requested in response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2006.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.